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FAMOUS and DECISIVE BATTLES OF THE WORLD.

PREPARING FOR THE FIGHT.

The Committee of Arrangements for the Republican Convention on the Ground Ready for Work.

The Work of Distributing the Seats—Gossip Concerning the Presiding Officer—The Convention Hall.

The Abiding Places of the State Delegations During Their Stay in the Garden City.

The Coming Convention.

PRELIMINARY WORK.
CHICAGO, May 27.—Hon. John C. New, of Indiana, and General Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, arrived in Chicago yesterday to attend the meeting of the sub-committee of the Republican National Committee. Colonel John A. Martin, of Kansas, arrived last week. The three spent the day in looking over the applications for press tickets and considering the changes that will be necessary in the arrangements of the Exposition Building to accommodate the convention. These gentlemen will remain until after the convention, and the arrangements are under their entire control. Those present did not form a quorum of the sub-committee, so that no definite action was taken.

This morning the other members will arrive, when the hall will be visited and such changes as are necessary will be ordered.

One of the subjects under discussion is the arrangement of the seats for the incoming delegations. The question is, whether they will be placed upon a platform, or allowed to remain upon the floor on a level with the delegates, to be decided today. It was said yesterday that it was probable that three hundred seats would be given to members of the press with tables and three hundred without.

The delegates will have seats on the ground floor just in front of the correspondents, and the subscribers to the quarterly fund will sit behind them. Visitors will be seated in the galleries and the raised seats behind the subscribers.

One question that has given contesting delegates a good deal of trouble is to find out how the delegations belonging to their districts will be distributed. General Clayton and Colonel Martin said yesterday that the National Committee would determine first what delegations have the prima-facie right to seats, and that the members of the committee would be instructed to distribute the tickets among those who were found to be entitled.

Very few delegations have arrived, yet the question as to the identity of the presiding officer excites general discussion. That will be the next real battle. The temporary officers will be selected by the National Committee, and will, in all probability, be made permanent, as they were four years ago. Just after A. M. Jones arrived from Washington it was given out that G. A. Grow, of Pennsylvania, was to have that honor, but since then a quiet boom has been worked up for Senator Edwards, of Illinois. This is denied by Logue's managers, but it is authoritatively stated that it is true, nevertheless.

The first genuine boom was brought in yesterday afternoon from New York by David Allerton, Secretary of the Republican Conference Committee. This committee was appointed by the independent Republicans of New York, and is headed by General Francis C. Barlow.

George W. Curtis, Theodore Roosevelt, Andrew D. White, and others are prominent in the organization.

Their mission is to make a vigorous fight for Senator Edwards, who has been selected as the personal embodiment of their views, and in their interest the attacks upon Blaine, Arthur and Logan will be unceasing.

Secretary Allerton is armed with a large quantity of documents to prove that Blaine and Arthur can not carry New York. He claims that Edwards has sixteen votes in New York, and that those from Massachusetts and other States will give him following of forty votes.

Admiral Arthur will obtain the votes of some of those claiming for Edwards when they vote for second choice. The head-quarters of the Edmunds boomers will be opened at club-room A of the Grand Pacific Hotel in a day or so. Large delegations from Buffalo, New York and Boston are expected to arrive about Saturday to work for the Vermont Senator.

One of the peculiarities that has thus far been exhibited is the entire absence of anything like candidate headquarters. Each State has its headquarters in each of the cities of the hotel, but for the first and last twenty years there is no place that can be said to be in the interest of any candidate.

Four years ago it was entirely different. The friends of Blaine, Grant, Sherman and others all had special headquarters, into which the delegations were taken as fast as they arrived. Hotel proprietors say that they have not even been asked about candidates' rooms during the present year. This largely arises from the fact that all the delegations are divided, so that none of the leading States is looked upon as the champion of either aspirant.

At present the delegations in special rooms have been engaged by leading Republicans. Enough rooms for the people who will come from each State have been reserved, but who will occupy them outside the delegations is not known. The New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, New Jersey, Connecticut, Maine, New Hampshire, Delaware, Louisiana, Colorado, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Oregon, Idaho and Dakota delegations, and the National Republican Committee, will have rooms at this hotel.

Senators Mahon and General Densmore, the two rival delegates from Virginia, as well as the other members of both delegations, have secured quarters at the Palmer House, at which hotel they will also be found Chauncey L. Fliley and General J. B. Henderson, of Missouri; Hon. John A. Kisson, P. S. P. Pinckney, Hamilton Fish, B. K. Bruce, John C. New and General Powell C. Clayton. The following delegations are also located there: California, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Kansas, Maryland, Missouri, Mississippi, Nebraska, Nevada, Rhode Island, Vermont and Wyoming.

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That portion of the Exposition Building in which the convention is to be held is now being put in by the May Festival.

It is a wide arched space covering 61,250 square feet, the dimensions being 275x350 feet, is divided into two amphitheaters, seven aisles and two galleries. The amphitheater at the northeast of the building, the space on which are 3,100 seats, is to be used for the May Festival.

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two and guests of honor. A space containing three hundred seats immediately in front of the stage will be reserved for the press, and the ground floor under the stage has been arranged for committee-rooms, telegraph offices and dressing-rooms. The seven large aisles on the ground floor contain 1,000 seats for the delegates and alternates, and 2,700 seats for the general public. The latter will also have the use of 1,900 seats in the amphitheater, and the 1,000 seats in the rear of the hall, and of the 1,000 seats in the two galleries at the east and west sides of the hall, making 5,200 seats in all for those who are fortunate enough to secure tickets of admission. No provision has been made for the orchestra during the convention, unless the musicians are placed in one of the galleries or at the extreme north or south end of the building.

The means of entrance and exit are admirably appointed. One large double door at the north end of the hall next to the entrance serves for the occupants of seats on the stand and the members of the press, and another corridor leading from the lobby to the various departments. From the large lobby of the main entrance, at the foot of Adams street, three large double doors lead to the stairways for the galleries, and seven corridors painted yellow, blue, white, red, brown, green and orange, corresponding with the color of the tickets—lead to the aisles on the ground floor and to the seats of the amphitheater. Adding standing room, from the basement to the roof thousand seats the hall will comfortably hold ten thousand people.

The management claims that the accommodations of the hall are perfect, and any ordinary voice can be distinctly heard in any part of the hall. Two large sounding-boards on each of the ends of the hall, have been placed in position.

The lighting is amply lighted by windows and sky-lights, and gas will be used for the evening sessions. The May Festival Association and the managing committee of the two conventions share equally in the cost of entertainment, which is \$15,000. It is claimed that the hall can be emptied in ten minutes if ordinary care is used by the public.

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The scheme has been worked for nearly a year, but none of the forged vouchers came into the hands of the company until yesterday. St. Maur was arrested at the bedside of his dying wife at 1434 St. Ange avenue, and broke completely down when confronted by evidence of his guilt. When asked by the police what he did with the money he would not answer, but said that he would do nothing. The rumor is that he lost most of the money in speculation and that he was just contemplating flight when arrested.

THE GREENBACKERS.

Delegates Rapidly Arriving in Indianapolis for the Convention—Butter Almost Certain of the Nomination—Maryland Wants Jesse Harper.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 27.—Delegates to the Greenback Convention are rapidly arriving. The general opinion appears to be that General Butler will be nominated without opposition. It is said that General Weaver, of Iowa, would not accept; and, although George O. Jones, of New York, has several adherents who oppose Butler on account of what they term his uncertainty on financial questions, there is little doubt the latter will be chosen without a struggle.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 27.—A telegram was sent here yesterday by William H. Parsons, Chairman of the delegation to the National Greenback Convention, which meets tomorrow in Indianapolis, to Colored Leo Crandall, secretary of that body, to cast sixteen votes from Maryland for Jesse Harper, of Illinois, as the Greenback candidate for President.

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thirty-five years of age, and leaves four children. The wife is still living, with lit-

tle prospect of recovery.

Trustees Chosen by the Methodists.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 27.—At the Methodist Episcopal Conference yesterday

the following were chosen trustees for the term to expire in 1892: Luke Hitchcock,

Charles W. Keith, East Cranston, B. M. Hayes, W. C. Cambell and P. M. Birney.

The report of the Committee on Episcopacy recommends the establishment of episcopal residences at Boston, New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Washington, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Minneapolis, Atlanta, Chattanooga, New Orleans, or Austin, Des Moines, Denver and Buffalo.

Five Men Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 27.—A boiler in

the paper-mill of Moore & Wilson, at

King's Ditch, between Cohoes and Waterford, exploded at 11:30 last night, killing five men. Four other employees escaped.

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Member of the Board of Education.
J. K. Warren is hereby announced as a candidate for Member of the Board of Education.
Albert G. Webber is hereby announced as a candidate for member of the Board of Education.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

The June moon has arrived.
The delinquent tax sale commences on June 16th.

Bart's Gents' Waukenphasts at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s, m2t.

\$10.00 all wool suits, at Fleury's One Price Clothing House, aldt.

Lowest prices in the city, at Fleury's One Price Clothing House, aldt.

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Best ice cream in the city, at Murrill & Neibell's, Water street, m23 St.

Dry stove wood, cord wood and shingles at McClelland's, Telephone, 21. 18t.

Assessor Fred Smith is still fitting about the town, performing his offi-
cial duties.

English Waukenphast style gents' shoes in great variety at L. L. Fer-
ris & Co.'s.

New spring and summer under-
wear at Fleury's One Price Clothing
house, apr2-tf.

The P. D. & E. south bound train
yesterday morning, had a brand new
coach attached.

The pension examining board will
hold its regular meeting at Dr. Cur-
tie's office to day.

All the latest spring styleshoes at
the large and popular store of L. L. Fer-
ris & Co., apr5t.

Rev. Townsend was presented with
a neat sum of money by his congrega-
tion the other evening.

Our neighboring town of Dalton
will revel in a strawberry festival on
the fourth of next month.

Only two more weeks after this one
will pay your taxes in, as the tax sales
will be on Monday, June 16th.

The wind blew quite cool from the
north last evening, and an overcoat
was by no means uncomfortable.

The next council meeting will be
held on Monday evening June 2d, at
the regular June meeting.

The ladies of the United Brethren
church will hold a festival at their
church on Thursday evening, June
5th.

The work of laying the foundation
of P. Lovell's new business block on
North Water street, is progressing
finely.

Spring shoes, best quality, and
lowest prices in the city, at the large
and popular store of L. L. Ferriss &
Co., apr5t.

Manaker Haines has no circuses in
view for this season, excepting Fonda-
pangh, and he may change his mind
and not come.

The electric light in the park
proves a great inconvenience to the
young people who have been doing
the love making act there.

Ton Brook & Homshaw's company
are booked to produce "Tropic" here
in a few weeks. It will probably be
the last hall show of the season.

Some strawberries were sold yes-
terday at ten cents a box or three for
a quarter. They will be cheap
enough for everybody before the sea-
son is over.

Parties desiring St. Louis beer
should send their orders to Wm. A.
Webber, who will deliver it either at
the keg or box, to any part of the
city. Telephone No. 9d.

Go to Wingate's lamp store and
buy one of those steam washing ma-
chines, if you want to see the dirt
off of your clothes without a
particle of rubbing, a19.

Yesterday was the thirteenth birth-
day of Frank Dodd, and to properly
commemorate the important event,
about fourteen of his young friends
surprised him at his parent's resi-
dence last evening, and enjoyed a
right royal time. Ice cream and oth-
er refreshments were served to the
little folks, which they heartily par-
took of.

Ayer's Hair Vigor improves the
beauty of the hair and promotes its
growth. It imparts an attractive ap-
pearance, a delightful and lasting
perfume. While it stimulates the
roots, cleanses the scalp, and adds el-
equence to luxuriance, its effects are
enduring; and thus it proves itself to
be the best and cheapest article for
toilet use.

Mrs. James W. Clark informs us
that she had \$5 stolen from her yes-
terday morning, which she had saved
up to pay her rent—deserving herself
and little children the necesssity of
life in order to do so. Her loss is a
sad one, and if the thief knew the
circumstances of Mrs. Clark—he might
have been more considerate.

On the evening of June 8th, the
ladies of the U. I. Club will give a
strawberry festival at their house
of worship, to which time they hope
to meet all of their friends and serve
them with the delicious fruit.

Mrs. L. R. Keister, corresponding
secretary of Women's Missionary So-
ciety of the United Brethren church,
will address the congregation at the
U. B. church in this city Sunday
morning and evening.

There is no one article in the line
of medicine that gives so large a re-
turn for the money as a good porous
strengthening plaster, such as Carter's
Smart Weed and Belladonna
Backache Plaster. m2d6lw

Supernumerary Attorneys, of this
division of the Wabash, paid their first
visit to Decatur, on Sunday. He
came over in a special car from
Springfield and after making an in-
spection, started for St. Louis.

For three weeks measles of a mild
type have been raging in McLeavyville.
The disease is now becoming more
severe, no less than half a dozen cases
have occurred from 10 cases during

the past week. Nearly one hundred
cases are now under treatment.

Twelve persons from here went to
Terre Haute yesterday, on the Mid-
land excursion.

Persons desiring to attend the Re-
publican National convention at Chi-
cago next week, can get round trip
tickets over the Wabash, for one fare.

The Central Hotel had quite a distin-
guished guest yesterday, morning
in the person of Count Itaska, of Ge-
orgia. The count was on his
way to St. Louis.

The Midland runs an excursion
train to Terre Haute every morning
this week, except Saturday, for the
benefit of those desiring to attend the
races. It leaves here at 6 a. m.

The I. B. & W. will sell round trip
tickets to Indianapolis to-day and to
morrow for one fare, to accommodate
persons desiring to attend the Green-
backers' National convention. Tick-
ets will be good returning until the
31st.

The Chicago Eye gets off the fol-
lowing: "Ingersoll takes away hell
and Wendling demolishes the devil.
Now, if some one would carry off the
contribution box, there wouldn't be
anything left of our old-fashioned
relics." —Springfield Register.

Two weeks from to-day, the W. C.
T. U. will run an excursion to
Springfield, under the management
of Thos. Penwell, the excursion
agent. Fare for the round trip only
one dollar. Children under twelve
years of age fifty cents.

There is some talk of Judge Smith

adjourning court on the 29th of this

month, for a period of ten days, on
account of Decoration Day, and in
order to allow the farmers to finish
their corn planting. A petition has

been presented to him asking him to
do this.

On Monday afternoon Edward B.
Thomas appeared before Squire Cu-
tis and caused a warrant to be issued
for the arrest of George Price and

Theodore Posey, two young colored
men, whom he charged with having
brought two dozen towels and two
razors from his barber shop on North
Water street. Marshal Mason got
track of Price and followed him to
Atwood, a few miles east of this city.

He was arrested there and brought
back here yesterday morning, and
lodged in jail. This morning he will
be given a preliminary hearing, and
will probably be bound over to await
the action of the grand jury. Posey

is still at large, but the officers have

no means of capturing him.

We will not attempt a description
of the "Incubator." We will leave
that to the worthy inventor. It is
his business, not ours. You may call
him a creator if you choose, but we
will leave the singing of his praise to
the little creatures he has been the
means of bringing into life, and they
may call him "papa," if they choose
—or they may divide their adoring
affection between him and Mr. Hill.

We now come to the grand opening

which was to display to working
capacity and capabilities of the ma-
chine to the anxious and envious

crowd then and there assembled.

It revealed a brood of about one hundred

incipient garden-scratches, out of

a possible one-hundred and twenty,

and elicited admiration, evoked ap-
plause.

Mr. Hill took some pains to explain

the manner and *method* of the

incubator to his friends, and showed

them its construction, and the unani-

mous verdict seemed to be that it was

a success in that the word implies

A wag present smiled and said when

he contemplated the light of the clerical

countenance present. Visions of

cheap chickens and lots of them had

evidently gained the vantage ground

in his mind over theology and moral

philosophy, and it was perceptible at

glance.

For further information in regard

to this encroachment of science and

art upon the field of nature the read

er is referred to the inventor, Mr.

Lewis Kuhner, No. 1142 North Rail-

road avenue, in this city.

Entertainment at the Tabernacle.

Mrs. M. L. Cain's class in elocution

gave an entertainment at the taber-
nacle last evening, to a very fair au-
dience. The programme as previ-
ously announced was observed, with

a few exceptions, and the audience

was highly pleased, as was shown by

the frequent applause.

"The New Church Organ," by Bir-
die Rush, was quite well done, and

was the first on the programme.

Bertie Hall acquitted himself very

nicely, as did also Bertie Spencer.

Master Cort Cain, was detained at the

river, fishing, and by request Mrs.

Cain filled the number reciting "Car-
fax Shall not Ring T-t-night," which

was decidedly the most interesting

part of the entertainment, although

Miss McDowell and Miss Meister

should be credited with a good portion

of the success of the evening. Miss

McDowell favored the audience with a

recitation and a guitar solo, receiving

a hearty encore on the latter. Miss

Meister rendered the balcony scene

and the poison scene from Romeo

and Juliet. Her reading and acting

were good. Ollie Funk was good.

Minnie Lehman, Mabel Prescott,

Irene Baker, Lulu Fielder, Gracie

Fielder, Birdie Kabrick and Effie

Peas acquitted themselves credit-
ably. In Pawn, the shadow flag, was

well received, being something new

and new.

The entertainment as a whole, was

quite good, and the little folks taking

part were happy.

Notice.

The Great New York Fire Store in-

firms their patrons that they have no

connection with any other house in

Decatur, and the only original Fire

Store where you can get big bargains

is Carter's building, west side Old

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Strawberries and Cream.

The ladies of the First M. E.

church invite their friends and the

public generally to a strawberry fe-
stival at the church on Thursday ev-
ening, May 29th. Admission free, dld

10% Discount.

On every dollar, Goods marked in

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AND READY FOR BUSINESS.

FIRE! SMOKE! WATER!

\$67,000

worth of fine custom and ready-made Clothing, slightly damaged by water in the late fire, 428, 430 and 432 Broome Street, New York, will be placed on sale Monday, May 19, and continue from day to day until the entire stock is sold. Never before have the people been offered such inducements as will be offered by the

Great New York Fire Store.

NOTE A FEW OF THE STARTERS.

1385 Mens' Cassimere suits worth \$12.00, ordered sold by the Insurance Company for \$3.75.

Great New York Fire Store,

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874 All wool cassimere suits, 18 different styles to select from, worth \$16, ordered sold by the insurance company at \$5.60.

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453 fine worsted dress suits in Prince Albert and Four-Button Cutaway-style. Among this lot not one worth less than \$22.50. Our Price \$11.25.

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1158 Boys' suits at \$1.65, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.40, \$2.65 and \$3.00, worth treble the amount.

These are a few of our Great Bargains in the clothing department.

C. A. Carter's Block, West Side Old Square

Odd Pants! Odd Pants!

150 Pairs Good Cashmere
Pants \$1.00 worth \$3.00.

275 Dozen Fancy Men's Half Hosen
at 25¢ per pair, sold by other dealers at 25¢.

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Hats! Hats! Hats!

120 Men's Wool Hats at 25¢, worth 50¢.

150 Men's Fine Fur Hats at 75¢, worth \$2.50.

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Odd Vests! Odd Vests!

150 Odd Vests from \$5.00 to \$1.00. Not one among the lot worth less than \$1.50.

Furnishing Goods Dept.

150 Heavy Overalls and Waistcoats at 25¢, sold elsewhere at 75¢.

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THEY WANT TO GET HOME.

Negotiations Between Leading Congressmen of Both Parties Concerning an Early Adjournment.

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The McKinley-Wallace Contested Seat Case Discussed in the House—A Dull Day in the Senate.

Current Topics at the Capital.

THE ADJOURNMENT QUESTION.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Republican Senators have received intimations from Democratic leaders in the House that they would like to come to an agreement for the adjournment of Congress before the 1st of July. One of the obstacles to adjournment is the disagreement of the two bodies in the Post-office and Naval Appropriation bills. Conference Committees are at work upon these bills, and it is hoped that the difference may be adjusted. The Senate struck out of the Post-office bill the limitation upon the pay of land-grant railroads for carrying the mails. Under the present law these roads are allowed eighty per cent of the rate paid to other roads. The House proposed to cut it down to fifty per cent. It is expected that the House will yield and allow the present rate of compensation to continue. With respect to the Naval bill, the chief difference between the Senate and House is the appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the construction of new cruisers and completion of the monitors. The Democrats are earnestly opposed to granting this appropriation before the Presidential election, having a vague idea that somehow Secretary Chandler may find a way to use the money to advance the Republican cause. It is understood that the Senate conference are now inclined to recede from this position rather than risk the probability of the adjournment of Congress on account of it or the entire failure of the Naval Appropriation bill.

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The number of electors of the States under the new apportionment laws follows:

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Arkansas	7	Missouri	16
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Colorado	4	New Hampshire	4
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Danske	3	New York	25
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Indiana	15	Oregon	3
Iowa	9	Rhode Island	4
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CRASHED BY A BROKEN RAIL.

CARTHAGE, Ill., May 27.—Early yesterday morning a passenger train on the Wabash Railroad was thrown from the track by a broken rail and derailed at Grand Chain. Forty-four sales worth of horses, seven passengers were injured. Seven passengers were apparently thrown from the cars. Seven men and women in the cars, it is learned fatally. Englewood Whaler was severely scalded and buried.

DOGS IN PURSUIT OF A MURDEROUS NEGRO.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 27.—The spinners in the Union Mills returned to work at reduced wages yesterday. Some of the Border City Mills strikers also returned. One mill is running full, and the others are nearly full. At Waukesha the Chaco and the St. Louis mills strikers offered to return if taken back in a body. The manufacturers refused to turn out complete knitwear. Only a few more spinners are needed in these three mills.

BY THE PRIEST ROAD.

PEORIA, Ill., May 27.—George Lowell, a graduate of Harvard, and for a short time teacher of the Buffalo Latin and Greek School, committed suicide at eight o'clock a. m. yesterday, with pistol. Morphine caused the death. The young man was a son of the eminent Judge Lowell, of Boston.

ON MON'S UNHANDLED SHIRTS.

We have no competition. We sell a man's White Shirt, made of Dwight Anchor cotton, with reinforced fiber bosom, at 50¢, and men's best Wm. Appleby shirts, at 75¢ or \$1 for \$4. The best men's unhandled shirt, made of the best material in the way, perfect fitting, for \$1.25 CHEAP STORE.

DRUGS/Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth, can't be beat of drugs glycerine salve, which is a cure for cuts, burns, abrasions, blisters, etc. and all skin eruptions. Try this wonderful salve. Satisfaction guaranteed or mony refunded. Only 25 cents for sale by Dr. A. J. Storer.

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IN THE TOILS.

Sentence of Peter Latro, an Adroit Swindler and Husband of Five Wives—Some of His Exploits.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Peter Latro, tried and convicted under the name of John A. Moore, has been sentenced to the Eastern Penitentiary for two years and fined \$500 for having personated a pension agent and obtained a certificate for a pensioner in Lycoming County. Latro is a man of about thirty years of age, and in ten years has been married to no less than five wives; the first, Ella Webb, of Brockport, N. Y.; the second, a dashing widow named Parsons, of Cordon, in the same State; the third, a Miss Mason, of New Haven, Conn.; the fourth, a Miss M. C. Stevens, of Webster, Ind. In the latter case he represented himself as J. W. Jenkins, the wealthy owner of a California gold mine, and induced Miss Stewart to sell her farm for \$1,800 in cash, and leave her comfortable home to become the mistress of a palatial mansion on the Pacific coast. When the couple reached Chicago, on their way to California, Latro borrowed the money on pretense of being sick, and when he recovered he never gave it back again, and wandered about all that night penniless in a great city. The next heard of him was as the husband of Mrs. J. P. Anderson, a widow of Cumberland, Md. Latro has swindled hundreds of people in Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York, Indiana, New Jersey and Illinois. His most successful schemes were to pass himself off as a special examiner, as the Commissioner of Pensions, and also as a pension detective. Hundreds of persons were taken to eager paid to the admit swindlers to secure a pension from the Government. Among his many assumed names are James Thompson, J. Thomas, Roy, John Hill and Colonel Bates.

A HORRIBLE DEED.

An Ex-Convict Murders His Wife, Mortal Wounds Her Sister, and Attempts Suicide.

NEW YORK, May 27.—John Carpenter, an ex-convict, murdered his wife in Michael Sweeney's saloon, 355 Third avenue, yesterday afternoon, probably killed his sister-in-law, Delta Ambrose, and attempted to kill himself. Carpenter is an Irishman of twenty years of age, and was a politician of some local note in the days of Tweed. He served a term in the penitentiary for assaulting his wife, and when he came from prison followed Mary Lyons, whom he had mistaken for his wife, into St. Francis Xavier's Church and stabbed her. For this crime he served five years in the State Prison, which place he left six weeks ago. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Carpenter and her sister went out shopping on Crossinbird Avenue at Twenty-eighth Street, Delta Ambrose followed. Delta stepped between him and his wife, and Carpenter made a rush at her and plunged the knife twice in her neck. She screamed and fell to the sidewalk. Mrs. Carpenter ran into Michael Sweeney's saloon. The husband tried to follow, but the door was shut in his face. He then got in by a side door, rushed upon his wife, and plunged the knife into her body several times, killing her on the spot. Carpenter then deliberately lay down on the floor beside the dead body, and stabbed himself twice in the abdomen. The police were summoned, and Delta Ambrose and Carpenter were sent to Bellevue Hospital.

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